ITALIANS, BRITISH AND FRENCH ALL GAIN



WEATHER-Cloudy, warmer to-night.

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ENEMIES OF DRAFT BLOCK THE ARMY BILL

3,375 AUSTRIANS CAPTURED IN A GREAT ITALIAN DRIVE ALONG A THIRTY-MILE FRON

.. British Recapture Most of the Ground Lost at Bullecourt, While the French Repulse Violent Attacks amount thus far advanced to the by Crown Prince's Army.

ROME, May to (via London).-The War Office announced to-day that as a result of the offensive begun yesterday the Italians thus far have captured 3,375 prisoners, a mountain battery and thirty machine it is understood that a considerable

Over a from of from 25 to 30 miles the Italian guns are roaring, while the infantry is steadily advancing.

PLENTY OF WHEAT

clares Griffin.

In the centre of the field of attack IN U. S., SAYS HEAD

veloped on the Junua front was preceded by vast, intense and methodical artillery preparation. Fire was opened whole line from Tolmino to the sea. It was maintained with a regularly orderened rhythm until the morning of May 14, when it was intensified to a nower-

but their reply was more vigorous on Jaseph P. Griffin, president of the the Liberty Louis are available. May 13 and extremely violent on the Chicago Board of Trade. To controver: therman intrigue

simost all difficult ones and some of deathblos. them hitherto had been regarded as able obstacle months ago, Above, deep enough wheat and can spare some to the ruins of the old Empire .

HAIG'S ARMY REGAINS

ticial Reports:

Continued on Second Page.; oats dropped with wheat,

AS IMMEDIATE AID MADE TO RUSSIA

S. Government Acts Promptly-Mission Not to Interfere in Internal Affairs.

WASHINGTON, May 16 .- The Government to-day made its first loan to Russia, \$100,000,000, bringing the

It is believed that the growing unrest in Russia caused the decision to lend immediately financial aid to the Provisional Government. That the toan was under way had been known.

McAdoo told Charge d'Affaires Onou

With the sum already advanced the on the morning of May 12 along the Lack of Transportation Facili- Alice having reached the \$625,000,000 whole live from The having the facility from the lack of the lac further joins to Great Britain, France. and Italy in prospect during the next few weeks, besides a \$75,000,000 loan CHICAGO. May 16. -There is to Belgium, indications are that the

teries then opened a heavy currigin. The action of representatives of six which seeks to convince the Russian fire, pouring thousands of projectiles of the jurgest grain exchanges of the people that the American Commison the tremches in the Stalian line.

"Undeterred by this tempest of fire, the Italian infantry toward noon loaped further making a maximum price lend its influence to one or another for July and September wheat "until of the factions there it was reiterated further matical" was recovered. ever the parapets and dashed resolutely further notice" was accepted by big officially to-day that the Commission forward toward the objectives pre- dealers and millers as having "killed has no purpose whatever of interferviously assigned. These positions were the speculators and dealt hysteria a ling in the internal affairs of Bussia and has only two objects

They are! To convey to the Huaimpregnable—such, for instance, as In a formal statement, Griffin re- sian people the gratification of the the heights on the left bank of the ferred to the board's action as "do- United States at the transformation Isonze, from Playa to Salcano Pasz, claring martial law" in grain trading, of the ancient despotism into a re- -The Government and the Radicals The steep slopes, covered with rocks "The problem has been solved; the publican form of government, and to and dotted here and there with thick sure found," he said, "There isn't render any helpful service it can to who have been hampering its activities clumps of brush, constituted a formidancy famine in anything; we have aid the new flovernment rising from have reached an agreement on three

caverns, well supplied with defensive the Allies. Our so-called 'experts' The Commission has no purpose to struction has been manuforated and offensive material, were defended have intimidated governments all away the judgment of the Russian by seasoned troops and protected by over the world. Most of the figures people as to which faction shall conbatteries placed so as to flank attackers, and figurers are flars. Farmers are trol in the organization of a per- portant tablect changes, including the loosening up; they've got the grain- manent government.

and still continues to advance. Val- "For four months we have been press purpose of meeting sinister official news agency issued this statethe highest authority, is for the exuable positions have been won and pleading with the Government to or- misrepresentations by Germany in ment: prisoners are flowing into our con-centration camps.

der a preference in the moving of Russia, which are calculated to pro-toodstuffs,"

Russia, which are calculated to pro-voke some of the Russian factions High flour prices, resulting from the fate making a separate poace with Committee of the Duma and the unprecedented wheat situation, are Germany before the American Com. Council of Workmen's and Solution' having their effect on bread. The missioners can arrive in Petrograd. Delegates have agreed are: shain Baking Company, one of the The Commission is going to Busain. "The unit; of the allied fronts than Baking Company, one of the The Commission is going to Busain." The fullest confidence of the GROUND AT BULLECOURT largest concerns in the city, closed as fast of railroad frains who steams

\$100,000,000 LOAN AMERICAN DESTROYERS TO BATTLE WITH OUR ALLIES

British Admiralty Makes Formal Announcement of the Arrival of the First Sea Fighting Force From Waldorf. this afternoon. He outlined the United States.

LONDON, May 16. — An American torpedo boat destroyer flotilla is now "at the front" somewhere in European waters, the British Admiralty officially announced strong plea for everybody who can

"A United States destroyer flotilla has arrived to co- Secretary declared, "It is a fact, and Russia's credit in the Federal Reserve operate with our naval forces," the Admiralty statement

"The American destroyers arrived at Queenstown," and strong pull will prevent this be-"In Issuing this credit." Secretary the Admiralty statement said.

"Rear Admiral Sims is in daily touch with the chief

"The services the United States vessels are rendering the allies is of the greatest value and is deeply appreciated." relatively few

mark, including \$50,000,000 advanced ment was received, the Navy Department officially continued the press told him that in his trade as in others. ties the Only Trouble, De- Great Britain yesterday, and with ence of the American ships in the war zone, but made public no other the fullest production of every man

bardment the enemy reacted but fee. bly It seemed as though the Australia to the contrary notwithstand. be approximately \$1,000,000, or onetrians had been taken by surprise. Ing. This was indicated to day by third of the entire amount to be founbut their reply was more viscous on. JOINT CABINET UNDER WAY

Minister-Kerensky New Head of War Office.

PETROGRAD, May 16 (via London)

Pollowing the publication of imretirement of Prof. Paul N. Miliukull.

Nothwithstanding these condi- if we could only get better service. This statement, made to due upon Poreign Minister, from the Cabinet, the "The three cardinal points upo-

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LONDON. May 16.—The British have recaptured must of the ground from this placed at the dependence of the ground they had lost to Bulleout and have safety and the dependence of the ground they had lost to Bulleout and have safety and the dependence of the ground they had lost to Bulleout and have safety and the dependence of the ground they had lost to Bulleout and have safety and the dependence of the ground the ground they are the military of the ground they are the military and the dependence of the ground the

UNCLE SAM'S EYE ON 'BUSINESS HOG, WARNS REDFIELD

Secretary of Commerce Appeals to Manufacturers to Avert Labor Clashes.

Secretary of Commerce Redfield addressed the National Association of Manufacturers, in session at the what the Government expects of the manufacturers in the war crisis, making a special appeal for harmony be

Mr. Redfield incidentally

ecretary Redfield continued: "It would not be true to say that

was needed for the Nation's use and REPORT OF U. S. WOMAN that the man who left his work, who delayed his product was striking a: blow at his own family and at his country. Toolay is no lime to rock langable, it is hateral now. But the . He Has Had No Such labor leader reminded me that there were two sides to that question and, assured me that, while he and his fel- WASHINGTON, May 16 .- Published | He immediately communicated with lows would do then full share, they reports purporting to come from the Senator Chamberlain of the Senate had and the country had a right to Swits Foreign Office that Mrs. Katrina Military Committee, and a hasty expect that the employer would be Couch of St. Francisville, Ill., had been meeting of the conferees was called

Miliukoff Resigns as Foreign and other members of the Provisional ance of labor standards. If the Na. Dr. Paul Ritter, Government on the question of the tion's need shall call, you will be told "We have no such report," Dr. Ritter willing to accept the new scale voted eorganization of the Calenet. what is required. Till that said shall said. "Any such communication from by the House.

The probable composition of the come, let there be no ondue pressure."

A new configuration flatter. Condition Cabinet, as reported to day upon bibor and let no advantage be it at all.

A new conference report was arranged accordingly. It is planned for it at all.

Chairman Dent to bring this before PREMIER AND MINISTER OF THE or for supposed principle in the nour James E. Couch, a farmer, residing NTERIOR, PRINCE G. A. LVOVY of the Nation's trial.

MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, share to the forces of the field as executed as a spy in Germany, as relater of Finance).

MINISTER OF FINANCE, A. I. the subminded costs of field and other many, returned there last December. HINGAROFF they Minister of Agri. things, so far at possible, labor many, returned there last December,

UNISTER OF WAR AND MARINE, labor leaders were made to feel that MINISTER OF WAR AND MARKINE, A.F. KERENSKY (formerly Minister of Justice).

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE, M. Discussion and production of both parties, including the Tam-TCHERNOFF, a flevolutionary Sa- has advanced by longs anth if has signs Sent to Report for Duty. many delegation. has advanced by longs into it has washington, May 16. Representational for the industrial washington, May 16. Representational for the distribution of the distribution of Massachusetts, pre-MINISTER OF LAROR, M. GVOZ managers news dreamed. Take the DEFF a Social Democrat.

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OPPONENTS OF THE DRAFT CLAUSE IN PLOT TO OR WRECK THE ARMY BILL

Chairman Dent, of the House Military Committee, Discovered Plan in Which Tammany Figures-Will Try to Foil It by Pressing Action at Conference To-Night.

PAY OF SOLDIERS CAUSES SECOND SETBACK TO BILL

By Samuel M. Williams.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 16 -The action of the House of Representatives to-day in recommitting the Army Conscription bill for purpose of raising the rate of pay, is accepted as a deliberate move to wreck the entire selective draft system.

In the group of plotters are various elements, including those genuwanting. Some there are even now inely opposed to conscription, scheming politicians looking for petty advantage, and timid members afraid of home sentiment. Even Tammany, whose delegation has been proclaiming the slogan of standing by the "It fell to my part a few days ago President in everything, weakened to-day and joined the ranks of those WASHINGTON, May 10.-When the British Admiralty's amounce- to apeak featily to a tabor leader. 1 sidetracking the Administration programme for hastily making an army.

Intermation.

equally self-restrained and far-assing shot in Germany as a spy were branded at 3 o'clock. Although the Senate here to-day as false by Swiss Minister had favored a lower pay schedule.

"Since labor have contribute its near here, said to-day he had not should be made to new less rather on the same ship with Ambassador General, Conch, formerly a minister INDUSTRY, A. I. KONOVALOUP TRUE The moor business and the Govern- at Lancaster. Di., sald he had re-

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DEW-FER-OL (Part, Olice Oil & Iron) | manth to the new recruit,

* Chairman Dent of the House Millthis afternoon, that when the Confer-SHOT AS SPY DENIED ence Committee made a second report with the increased pay provision voted carlier in the day, a third amendment the boat. If that process was ever Swiss Minister at Washington Says, would be offered to again recommit the bill and to continue this scheme until endless confusion would result and per-

haps the whole bill defeated. Senator Chamberlain said he was

the House late this afternoon and move for immediate vote.

that threw the switch to-day and checked the speed dash in the same way that Roosevelt did it last week. When the conference report came

up in the House to-day, with proviston for the Roosevelt division of MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS, (100) the beginning of the war. The since her return to thermany, (101) the beginning of the war. The rate of pay provided for colleted men

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Steamer army pay for a private at 150 Pulson et. N. I. Phone 2001 Curt. - Agri, present is on a basis of \$16 per